

SAN DIEGO LEADS CITIES IN GETTING SOLDIERS JOBS

NEW YORK, July 26.—San Diego, Cal., stands at the head of a list of 77 American cities in the percentage of returned soldiers placed in jobs during the five weeks ending June 25, according to figures made public here today by Col. Arthur Woods, assistant to the secretary of war and head of the government's organization for the re-employment of service men.

Minneapolis follows San Diego's record of 152 per cent with 128 per cent, Dayton, O., is next with 124 per cent, then comes Fort Worth, Tex., with 117 per cent, St. Louis, 102 per cent; Mobile, Ala., 97 per cent; Spokane, Wash., 94 per cent; Cleveland, O., 93 per cent; Toledo, O., 90 per cent; and Kansas City, 81 per cent. The average for the entire country was 86 per cent.

Los Angeles, Portland, Ore., Philadelphia and Chicago placed slightly more than 70 per cent of their fighting men, closely followed by Seattle and Baltimore. New York with 15,553 jobless applicants, found positions for about 50 per cent.

Cheyenne, Wyo., of the "little cities," made the best showing by placing 689 of 885 applicants in jobs. Little Rock, Ark., found positions for 1,407 men out of 1,907; Pensacola, Fla., Wilmington, N. C., Racine, Wis., Butte, Mont., and Reno, Nev., all exceeded 75 per cent mark.

July Trade Made. Like November's By Advertising

Turning what is ordinarily the dull-est month of the year into one of the busiest months of the year is the feat that has been performed by the Bry-Bloek Mercantile company with their New York Purchase sale. The success of this sale is attributed to the extensive advertising of new marketable goods at low prices.

Approximately 10,000 inches of newspaper advertising has been used so far in acquainting the public with the details of the New York Purchase sale. Wm. J. Speck, advertising manager for Bry-Bloek, stated to a News Scimitar reporter that the business done by the firm on the purchase sale during the month of July would bring that month's very dull month on a par with the months of October and November.

Mr. Speck's theory is that the buying public is just as anxious and willing to purchase merchandise during July as it is at any other season of the year. He believes that by placing fresh, new merchandise on display and acquainting the buying public with the goods to be placed on sale it can be moved during July as well as at any other time of the year.

This advertising campaign, carried out under Mr. Speck's direction is one of the largest newspaper advertising campaigns ever waged by a single mercantile establishment in Memphis. The members of the firm are thoroughly convinced that "it pays to advertise."

ARKANSAS SOLONS FUSS OVER EXTENDED MEET

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., July 26.—The Arkansas legislature, which, yesterday in special session, ratified the federal woman suffrage amendment, spent Wednesday in debating whether other matters should be considered at the special session. The senate voted to continue in session until the Saturday to consider highway legislation and other matters.

The house voted against extending the session, but also voted down a motion to adjourn sine die and finally adjourned until Wednesday. Conference were being held Tuesday night in an effort to induce members of the house to vote to extend the session until Saturday. The general belief appeared to be that this would be accomplished.

53 KILLED WHEN TRAIN IS LOOTED BY BANDITS

EL PASO, Tex., July 26.—Mexico City papers received here give meager details of the holdup of a passenger train on the railroad between Mexico City and Vera Cruz last week in which 53 passengers were killed.

The train was held up and robbed by bandits who fired into the passenger coaches, according to the newspaper report. No Americans or other foreigners were known to have been among those killed.

NEGRO ASSAILANT OF CONDUCTOR ARRESTED

NEW ORLEANS, La., July 26.—Lemon Wright, negro, who yesterday shot and dangerously wounded W. F. Halliburton, conductor of a Louisiana railway and navigation passenger train, in a dispute over fare, 15 miles out from Baton Rouge, was arrested late yesterday near here on a freight train after a posse with bloodhounds had trailed him. Wright was placed in jail here.

PROPOSE RESIGNATION OF VIENNA'S SOVIET

BERLIN, July 26.—The Hungarian peoples commissaries have visited Col. Cunningham, allied representative at Budapest, according to the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger, and proposed negotiations for the peaceful resignation of the soviet and the formation of a new government. The proposal was said to have been forwarded to the supreme council at Versailles.

TEACHERS SELECTED.

RIPELEY, Miss., July 26. (Sp.)—At a recent meeting of the board of trustees of the Tippah county Agricultural high school at Chubbuck, the teachers, except the agricultural instructor, for the 1917-1918 session, were selected as follows: J. P. Anderson, principal; Miss Eula Barnett, Miss Mary Tomlinson and Miss Ima Clemmer.

NOTED TENOR WEDS.

NEWARK, N. J., July 26.—Edouardo Ferrari-Fontana, tenor of the Chicago and Metropolitan Opera companies, and Miss Maria Esther Teller, formerly of Havana, but now of New York, a niece of Dr. Carlos Manuel de Cespedes, Cuban minister to the United States, were married here yesterday by a magistrate.

DO YOU CRAVE SWEETS?

A Very Choice Syrup of Tempting Taste.

The liking for sweets is a natural craving. The system requires a certain amount of such food. It acts as fuel. It builds energy. It maintains strength.

Domino Golden Syrup is different from any syrup you ever tasted. So good you can drink it—so wholesome you can eat all you like! And never tire of it.

And of rare "snack" and savor—flavored with just a dash of delicate cane taste—sweet—but not over-sweet—and not too "thickish."

A pure, rich, smooth, mellow, full-bodied syrup of a light golden amber tint. Just the proper consistency—neither too thick nor too thin.

You will like it—on bread, cakes, waffles, biscuits. A table delicacy for every meal of every day. Ask your grocer for Domino Golden Syrup. It is made by the American Sugar Refining Company, refiners of Domino Package Sugar—Granulated, Table, Powdered, Confectioners, Brown.

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A Store That's Different

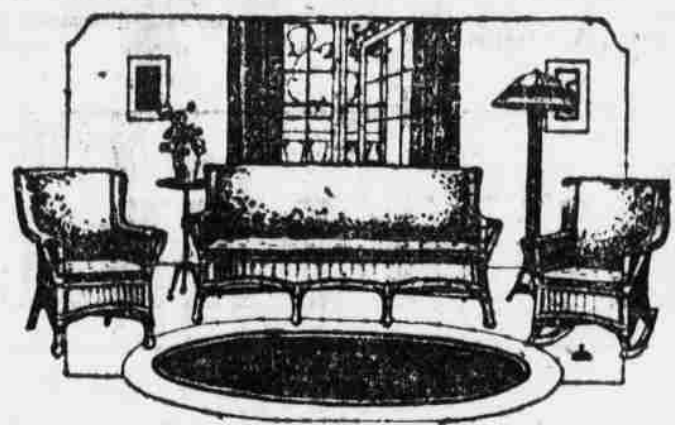
Worthy Furniture Values The Year Round

We'll Divide the Payments



Dining Room Suites Of Highest Character and Lowest Prices

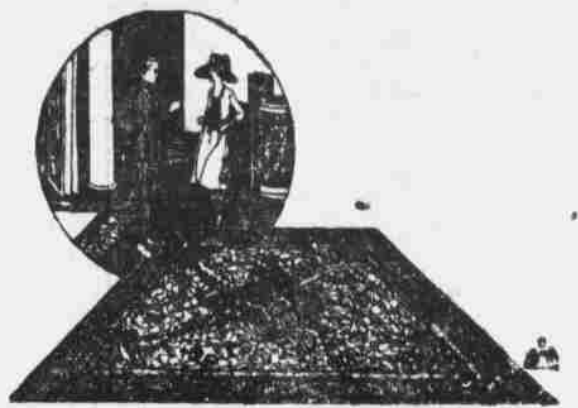
- Nine pieces, in solid oak, golden finish; buffet, 6-foot extension table, china, six dining chairs; at..... \$98.50
- William and Mary Suite, of six pieces, golden oak; buffet, 6-foot extension table and four chairs; to sell at..... \$106.50
- Queen Anne Suite, in American walnut, eight pieces; large buffet, 6-foot extension table and six chairs; the price..... \$198.50
- Adam Suite, in brown mahogany, nine pieces; buffet, china, 6-foot extension table, one host chair and five straight chairs..... \$245.00



Beautiful Reed Furniture LEADS A COOL, RESTFUL AND INVITING APPEARANCE TO THE HOME.

It is particularly appropriate during the summer months, when it can be used on the porch or in the sun parlor, and it can be used very effectively during the winter months in the living room. In ivory or frosted brown at small additional cost.

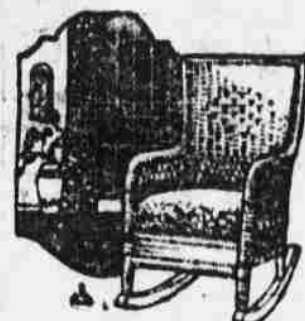
- This three-piece Brown Reed Suite, upholstered in cretonne..... \$95.00
- A striking Davenport, in willow; putty and black enamel finish; loose spring seat construction with two large pillows; covering of high-grade cretonne..... \$125.00
- Brown Reed Day Bed, loose cushion and two pillows, covered in cretonne; to sell at the price of..... \$82.50
- Frosted Brown Reed Davenport Table—An unusual value at the price of..... \$44.50



RUGS!

Here is an assortment of fine rugs which cannot, we believe, be equalled anywhere else in town. All well-known makes are represented—in limitless patterns and color combinations. There are all the regular sizes as well as an unusually good lot of odd sizes. Now is a good time to buy rugs, and this is the store in which to buy them.

A Wonderful Rocker Special Thursday Only



85c CASH, \$3.00 MONTHLY
No Phone Orders—None C. O. D.
Just Have Them Charged.

This very unusual value in a Brown Fiber Rocker, upholstered in blue and rose covering over steel springs, on which we have made the special price:
just as illustrated..... \$9.85



Liberty
Bonds
Accepted
As
Cash



Atlanta Savannah Charleston Columbia
Second Door From Gayoso Hotel
Where Main St. Meets McCall
Dallas Houston Memphis Birmingham

HELFRICH WILL SUE ERZBERGER, HE SAYS

BERLIN, July 26. (By the Associated Press.)—Dr. Karl Helfrich, the former vice-chancellor, has announced that, having failed to induce Matthias Erzberger to sue him, he will enter suit against Erzberger "to prove him a liar and traitor and to bring the truth to light."

A Berlin dispatch under date of July 2 reported that Dr. Helfrich, writing in the Kreuz Zeitung, blamed the Reichstag's peace program of July, 1917, fathered by Erzberger, for the moral collapse of the German people. Dr. Helfrich charged that Erzberger had staged a parliamentary revolution without informing the government and added that Erzberger's action was undertaken at the instigation of Count Cernin, then Austro-Hungarian foreign minister.

Mosquito Bites
Just as soon as you feel the effect of the Malaria Germ after being bitten by Malaria Mosquitoes, it is advisable to take GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC to destroy the germs and remove the impurities. Pleasant to take, 50c per bottle.

DYERSBURG HOSPITAL TREATS 400 CASES

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NEW YORK PROFITEERS IN RENTS LOSE OUT

Recent increases in house rent were reduced 50 per cent in a large number of the 489 complaints reviewed last week by New York city's committee on rent profiteering. Landlords made reductions in nearly all of the cases.

In one instance an owner's demand for an increase of 30 per cent was reduced to an increase of 20 per cent. In another case an increase of 35 per cent on 24 tenants was reduced one-half for the period of one year. As half, for one year. The owner waived his demand for an increase of 25 per cent as a result of the hearing another landlord waived an increase of 50 per cent. An owner of 44 rental properties reduced his demands for an increase of \$15 per month by one-half. In another case 24 tenants obtained a reduction of one-half on an increase of \$4, \$5 and \$6 per month, and an increase of \$5, \$7 and \$9 per month on 44 tenants was also cut in two. One owner that had raised the rent on 14 tenants from \$15 to \$20 per month absolutely refused to make any reduction.

As a result of the hearings the city has decided not to increase the interest on mortgages owned by the city from 5 to 6 per cent, as it had intended doing on the grounds that the increase would ultimately have to be paid by the tenant.

TO HOLD SUNDAY SCHOOL.
RIPELEY, Miss., July 26. (Sp.)—Rev. H. B. Gladney, Mrs. W. T. Roswell and other Sunday school workers will be in Ripley on Aug. 11, for the purpose of holding a Methodist Sunday school institute in the Methodist church. It is expected that quite a number of teachers and superintendents, as well as others of the county, will be here to attend the meeting.

TIGRETT MAN IN AUTO IS KILLED BY TRAIN

DYERSBURG, Tenn., July 26. (Sp.)—John Westbrook, a prominent citizen of Tigrett, near here, was instantly killed Tuesday afternoon by a train on the B. & N. W. railway. He was in a car which was demolished while attempting to cross the track in front of an advancing freight. The other occupants of the car escaped with minor injuries. The deceased was 60 years and engaged in business at Tigrett.

LEMON JUICE FOR FRECKLES

Girls! Make beauty lotion for a few cents—Try it!

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and rosy while the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless and never irritates.

MISS FINGER RETURNS.

RIPELEY, Miss., July 26. (Sp.)—Miss Emma Finger, daughter of Mr. M. L. Finger, prominent merchant of this place, has returned from France where she was sent by the Federated clubs of Mississippi as a Y. M. C. A. worker. Miss Finger was one of the two young ladies sent from this state by the Federated clubs.

JIM FISHER.

The police department has been requested to deliver the following message: "Jim Fisher: Ida dead. Will you take Dorothy? James Angel, Seattle, Wash."

SHANNON FAMILY HOLD GOLDEN WEDDING FEAST

RIPELEY, Miss., July 26. (Sp.)—Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Shannon, of Tippecanoe, north of this place, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last Sunday, with a big dinner and family reunion. Their 11 living children, with their families, were present. All their 51 grandchildren, except three, and seven great-grandchildren, were also present. Mr. and Mrs. Shannon gave each of their children on this occasion, \$100 in gold, \$50 in gold to each of their grandchildren and one silver dollar to each of their great-grandchildren.

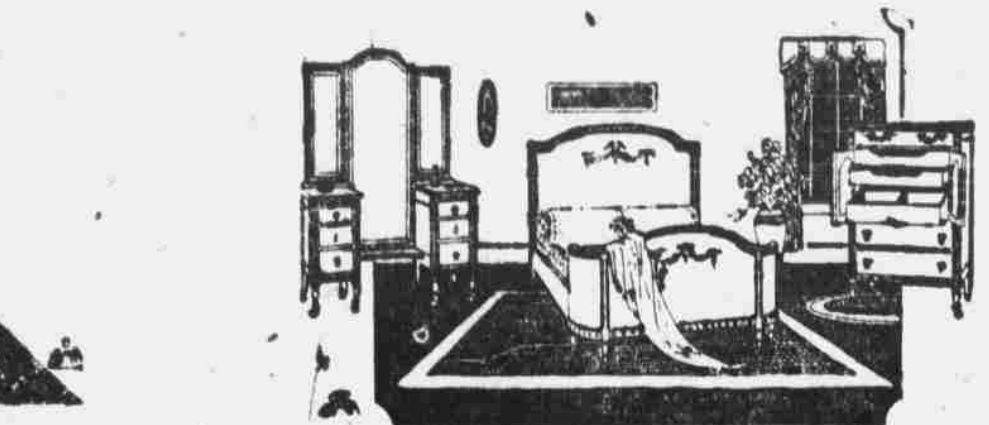
The children presented Mr. and Mrs. Shannon with a fine victrola. They have lived at their present home in Tippecanoe, many years, where Mr. Shannon has been engaged in the mercantile business, having been extremely successful and as a result has accumulated considerable property.

THREE NEW MARINES.

Herbert Allison, Prescott, Ark.; Paul Blackwell, Winona, Minn., and Jewell M. Owens, of Arkansas, Ark., left Memphis Tuesday night for Paris Island, S. C., to enter service in the United States marine corps. All three of the men were accepted for service at the local recruiting office. Owens will enter the government mechanical school and upon completion of his course will be assigned to the aviation branch of the marine corps as a mechanic.

TEACHER PROMOTED.

NEWBURN, Tenn., July 26. (Sp.)—Miss E. B. Day, who was for many years principal of the Roblin high school, has been recently appointed superintendent of the Lacey, Tenn., high school, near Memphis. Prof. Day, who is well known in this community, has recently returned from France.



Complete Bedroom Outfits

At Prices That Say—BUY NOW!

- Four-piece Suite, in ivory; dresser, bed, chair and rocker; Adam design; carefully made and finished; special..... \$49.50
- Choice of mahogany or ivory, four pieces; dresser, chiffonier, bed and triple mirror Dressing Table; a splendid value..... \$124.50
- Vanity Dresser, Bed and Chiffonier, in mahogany; William and Mary design; each piece well built and finished; price..... \$145.00
- Beautiful Period Suite; vanity dresser, bed and chiffonette; choice of American walnut or mahogany; for..... \$207.50

A BUNGALOW

Four Stories Above Street Level
COME—SEE IT



Thousands have visited our bungalow. We have been more than gratified with the results. It was built for the specific purpose to show how our furniture will actually look in your own home. There are five rooms completely furnished. We want you to come and see it—feel free in doing so. You are under no obligations to buy.

Our Divided Payment Plan

The price on every article is marked in plain figures. We have only one proposition to make everyone. We can arrange convenient weekly or monthly terms on your purchases. If you desire to pay cash we will allow you a discount of ten per cent (except on special advertised articles).



ITCH!

A WAR-TIME ILL THAT'S SPREADING
HUNT'S SALVE CURES IT!

BRED in the war trenches of Europe, a wave of ordinary ITCH is spreading over the country. This skin disease, history shows, has always prevailed, following wars and the concentration of armies. It was common during the Civil War and following that conflict. There was an epidemic of the Itch after the Spanish-American War. Now history is repeating itself after the great European struggle.

Returned soldiers and those with whom they come in contact will find a recognized remedy for the Itch in Hunt's Salve, commonly known as "Hunt's Itch Cure." Many a veteran of the late '90s will testify to its merits. If directions are followed HUNT'S SALVE will prove a never failing cure for all forms of the Itch, and your druggist will tell you so. He sells HUNT'S SALVE under a strict guarantee to refund the purchase price to any dissatisfied user.

Hunt's Salve is especially compounded for the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter and other itching skin diseases and is sold on our guarantee by all reliable drug stores, or it will be sent direct by mail if your local druggist cannot supply. Price 25c per box.

A. B. RICHARDS MEDICINE COMPANY, INC., SHERMAN, TEXAS.

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